

APPENDIX

IN THE SPECIFICATION

The paragraph beginning on page 10, line 19 has been amended as follows:

--FIGS. 4-12 and 15 illustrate various methods of washing fabrics in accordance with the present invention. For definitional purposes, a fluid that possesses no deterative properties similar to those properties found in conventional detergents, dry cleaning agents and liquefied carbon dioxide will hereinafter be referred to as an ideal working fluid (IWF). Examples of IWFs that can be utilized with the methods and apparatuses of the present invention include fluoroinerts, hydrofluoroethers, perfluorocarbons and similarly fluorinated hydrocarbons.--

The paragraph beginning on page 20, line 14 has been amended as follows:

--As indicated above in FIGS. 4-12 and 15, tumbling of the fabric, IWF and any additives including performance enhancers and co-solvents in the washing chamber is a suitable method of transferring mass, i.e. soils, from the fabric to the IWF and/or co-solvent. Other methods of mass transfer include rinsing, centrifugation, shaking, wiping, dumping, mixing and wave generation.--

The paragraph beginning on page 20, line 18, has been amended as follows:

--Also, as indicated above in FIGS. 4-12 and 15, the application of air is a suitable method of dehydration or drying the fabric. Other methods of drying may employ centrifugation, liquid extraction, the application of a vacuum, the application of forced heated air, the application of pressurized air, simply allowing gravity to draw the IWF away from the fabric and the application of a moisture absorbing material.--

The paragraph beginning on page 20, line 23, has been amended as follows:

--As indicated above in FIGS. 4-12 and 15, the IWF and co-solvents may be recovered through the use of gravity separation, filtration and centrifugation. In addition, de-watering, scrubbing, vaporization, phase inversion and the application of an induced electrical field may be used in recovery and purification of the IWF and co-solvents.--